which does not permit a solution of an adhesive agent such as an aqueous solution of latex or a solution of an adhesive agent which contains rubber to pass through said covering layer .--

Please add the following claim:

--10. A production method of a sports ball of claim 6, wherein said covering layer is made of a material which does not permit a solution of an adhesive agent such as an aqueous solution of latex or a solution of an adhesive agent which contains rubber to pass through said covering layer .--

REMARKS

Claim 7 has been amended and claim 10 has been added to eliminate an improper multiple claim dependency.

Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

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